AMENDMENTS TO THE DRAWINGS:

The attached sheet of drawings (Fig. 8) includes a change to S207 to read -DETERMINE WHETHER THERE IS GATEWAY ECU OR GATEWAY ECU
RESPONDS TO REQUEST COMMAND--.

Attachments: Replacement Sheet - One Sheet (Fig. 8)

REMARKS

This Preliminary Amendment corrects minor informalities in the specification and in Fig. 8 which occurred during the translation of this application from Japanese into English. No new matter has been added.

If there is any fee due in connection with the filing of this Preliminary Amendment, please charge the fee to our Deposit Account No. 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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Attachments: One Sheet of Replacement Drawing (Fig. 8)